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REPLY TO AUGUST 11, 2004 NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES – FILING DATE GRANTED

Dear Sirs:

This reply is directed to the Notice To Comply With Requirements For Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures – Filing Date Granted ("the Notice") that was mailed on August 11, 2004 in connection with this U.S. Patent Application, Serial No. 10/763,102 (the "'102 application"). A copy of the Notice is attached as Exhibit A.

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In response to the Notice, Applicants, through their attorney, submit:

- 1. a copy of a concurrently filed Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.37(b) to Revive an Unintentionally Abandoned Application, annexed herein without its attachments as Exhibit B; and
- 2. an Amendment, attached herein as Exhibit C, and its attachment identified as Appendix 1, consisting of an initial paper copy of a Sequence Listing as filed on February 3, 2003 in connection with the parent application to this '102 application, namely, U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/096,075, along with a copy of the self-addressed stamped postcard acknowledging receipt by the United States Patent and Trademark Office Mailroom of said Sequence Listing, attached as Appendix 2.

In connection with this Reply and the concurrently submitted Amendment herewith, Applicants, through their attorney, request that the Sequence Listing, including the compliant computer readable form thereof, submitted to the United States Patent Office on February 3, 2003 in connection with the parent application of this '102 application, namely, U.S. Patent Application, Serial No. 10/096,075 (the "'075 application"), be made of record in this '102 application. In accordance with 37 CFR §1.821(e), Applicants state that the Sequence Listing, including the compliant computer readable form thereof already on file in connection with Applicants' '075 application, is identical to the Sequence Listing contained in this '102 application. This '102 application is a divisional of the '075 application.

No fee is believed due in connection with this Reply or the documents submitted herewith other than the fee that is due in connection with the aforementioned Petition Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) To Revive An Unintentionally

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Abandoned Application. If any fee or fees are due, the United States Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to charge the amount of any such fee to Deposit Account 05-1135, or to credit any overpayment thereto.

If helpful in processing this Reply, the undersigned may be contacted by telephone at (212) 583-0100 during business hours.

Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES

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Applicant is given TWO MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE within which to file the items indicated below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

• This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990), If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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